



Docket No.: 96790P363

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:

TAKUYA ADACHI, ET AL.

Application No.: 09/876,319

Filed: June 6, 2001

For:
IMAGE COLLATION METHOD AND
APPARATUS AND RECORDING MEDIUM
STORING IMAGE COLLATION PROGRAM

Art Group: 2623

Examiner: Wesley J. Tucker

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F. R. § 1.136(a), the Applicants for the above-identified application respectfully
Petition the Commissioner for a one (1) month extension of time, extending the period for response to October 06,
2005, from the Advisory Action dated September 19, 2005. A check for \$120.00 (petition filing fee) is attached.

If it should be determined that a longer extension of time is required to prevent this application from being
abandoned, please charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 02-2666. A copy of the Fee Transmittal is
enclosed for deposit account charging purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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